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Inventors: Philippe BIENVENU and Sandra MATTEI

Title: Device of Protection Against a Polarity Reversal

Including:

- ☒ 1. A specification including claims consisting of 15 pages.
- ☒ 2. Drawings consisting of 2 sheets.
- ☒ 3. Declaration and Power of Attorney is enclosed.
- ☒ 4. Benefit of co-pending France patent application number 03/04144 filed on April 3, 2003 is being claimed.
- ☒ 5. The priority document is enclosed.

Additionally:

- ☒ 6. An assignment of the invention to STMicroelectronics S.r.l. is enclosed.
- ☒ 7. A filing date in accordance with 37 CFR 1.10 is requested (Express mail certificate is part of this transmittal letter).

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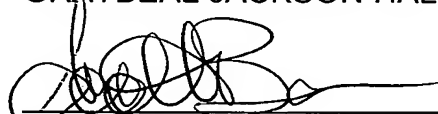
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